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TO AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SNAR, NL

SUBJECT: VISIT BY VAN AGT

REF; THE HAGUE 5704 AND 6001

1. YOU MAY RENEW THE INFORMAL BARTELS INVITATION (PARA 2 THE HAGUE 5704) TO VAN AGT TO VISIT WASHINGTON IN JANUARY TO FAMILIARIZE HIMSELF WITH THE DRUG ABUSE SITUATION AND PROGRAMS ADOPTED BY U.S. AUTHORITIES FOR DEALING WITH IT. WE WILL BE GLAD TO ARRANGE APPOINTMENTS, INCLUDING CALLS AT SENIOR LEVELS HERE AND AT JUSTICE AND ELSEWHERE, IN THE EVENT VAN AGT WISHES TO REVIEW OTHER MATTERS OF CONCERN TO HIS MINISTRY.

2. SINCE VAN AGT IS DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER WE ARE UNCERTAIN WHETHER HE AND THE GON CONSIDER IT APPROPRIATE FOR HIM TO TRAVEL HERE AT U.S. EXPENSE. THE OPTION IS OF COURSE AVAILABLE TO FINANCE HIS VISIT USING NARCOTICS CONTROL FUNDS, UNDER THE VIP VISITORS PROGRAM. YOU MAY WISH TO SOUND OUT VAN AGT ON THIS IN YOUR FURTHER INDEPTH DISCUSSION (PARA 6 CONFIDENTIAL

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THE HAGUE 5704) BEFORE WE REACH A DEFINITE DECISION. WE

WOULD ALSO LIKE TO KNOW WHEN DURING THE FIRST HALF OF JANU-
ARY HE WANTS TO TRAVEL, HOW LONG HE CAN BE AWAY FROM THE
HAGUE, WHETHER HE HAS SPECIFIC PERSONS OR SUBJECTS HE WANTS
TO SEE OR INVESTIGATE HERE, SO THAT WE CAN THEN MAKE PREP-
ARATIONS. INGERSOLL

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